

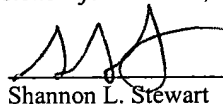


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Shannon L. Stewart

Applicant : Eric K. Steen, et al. Confirmation No. 8579  
Application No. : 09/650,482  
Filed : August 29, 2000  
Title : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PHARMACY ADMINISTRATION  
Grp./Div. : 3624  
Examiner : Ella Colbert  
Docket No. : 35588/K163

Commissioner for Patents  
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September 19, 2006

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated April 19, 2006 for two month(s) from July 19, 2006 to September 19, 2006.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 60	\$ 120	\$
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 225	\$ 450	\$450

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 450 to cover the cost of the extension.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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